

meanor and upon conviction shall be fined not less than ten dollars nor more than thirty dollars, or imprisoned not less than ten days nor more than thirty days or both at the discretion of the court.

SEC. 10. *Provided*, that no person shall be admitted into said school as a student who has not attained the age of fifteen years; and that all those who shall enjoy the privileges of said school as students shall previously obligate to teach the youth of the Croatan race for a stated period.

Who admissible as students.

Obligation.

SEC. 11. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

In the general assembly read three times, and ratified this the 7th day of March, A. D. 1887.

CHAPTER 401.

An act to be entitled an act to authorize the trustees of the Smithfield Academy, Johnston county, to convey the same in fee simple.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

SECTION 1. That Jno. B. Beckwith, P. T. Massey, R. D. Luncford, L. R. Waddell, F. F. Ellis, E. W. Pou, Sr., J. H. Abell, C. Radford, S. R. Morgan, J. G. Rose, L. Eldridge, T. R. Youngblood and A. J. Heath, trustees of the Smithfield academy, Johnston county, are hereby authorized and empowered to convey in fee simple that lot of land known as the Smithfield academy lot and the improvements thereon, held in trust by said trustees, to the school committee of white district number forty, to the use of said committee and their successors in office, to be used for educational purposes only for the education of white children.

Authorized to convey property to school committee of white district No. 40.

SEC. 2. That this act shall be in force and effect from and after its ratification.

In the general assembly read three times, and ratified this the 7th day of March, A. D. 1887.